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Thereof

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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-referenced patent application are the following documents:

1. Declaration executed by Richard A. Shimkets (2 pages);
2. Copy of Notice of Requirement (1 page); and
3. Return postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at 617-542-6000, Boston, Massachusetts.

The Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.68 is filed in response to the Requirement for Statement under §152 of the Atomic Energy Act. This response is due on or before October 6, 2002. Applicants believe no fees are due with this submission, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311 Ref. No. 21402-015 CIP (Cura-315 CIP). A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

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No patent for any invention "useful in the production or utilization of special nuclear material or atomic energy" may issue unless the applicant files a statement **WITHIN THIRTY DAYS** from request thereof by the Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks setting forth the full facts surrounding the making or conception of the invention described in the application and whether the invention or discovery was made or conceived in the course of or under any contract, subcontract, or arrangement entered into with or for the benefit of the Energy Research and Development Administration or the Department of Energy as required under section 152 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, 42 USC §2182.

Applicant is hereby given a period of **THIRTY DAYS** from the mailing date of this letter to file the required statement under 42 USC §2182. Failure to submit the required statement within the thirty day period will result in **ABANDONMENT** of the application. The thirty day period is fixed by §2182 of the Act and cannot be extended. Thus, no extension of this period may be obtained under either 37 CFR §1.136(a) or (b).

  
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